Notice of Agency Rule-making Proposal

AGENCY: Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation (OPOR), Maine Fuel Board

CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE: Chapter 1- Definitions, Chapter 2 - Advisory Rulings,

Chapter 3 - Categories and Responsibilities of Licensure, Chapter 4 - Qualification for Licensure, Chapter 5 - Use of Other License Authorities, Chapter 6 - Adoption of Standards and Rules, Chapter 7 - Modification of Standards, Chapter 8 - Installation of Oil Burning Equipment, Chapter 9 - Installation of Solid Fuel Burning Equipment, Chapter 10 - Chimneys, Chapter 11 - Installation of Waste Oil Appliances and Waste Oil Supply Tanks, Chapter 12 - Permits for Aboveground and Underground Propane and Natural Gas Storage Facilities and Rooftop Installations, Chapter 13 - Installation of Propane and Natural Gas Burning Equipment

PROPOSED RULE NUMBER (leave blank; assigned by Secretary of State):

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PUBLIC HEARING (if any): December 12, 2013 beginning at 1:00PM, Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, ME

COMMENT DEADLINE: January 6, 2014

BRIEF SUMMARY: The proposed rulemaking repeals and replaces the rules of the former Oil and Solid Fuel Board and Propane and Natural Gas Board.

The proposed rules may be downloaded from OPOR's web site at www.maine.gov/professionallicensing.

IMPACT ON MUNICIPALITIES OR COUNTIES (if any) None

STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR THIS RULE: 32 MRSA §18123(2); PL 2009, c. 344, sec. D-15(2)							
SUBSTANTIVE STATE OR FEDERAL LAW BEING IMPLEMENTED (if different):							
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